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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of
Inventors: William H. Blair, David R. Blair and Robert E. Steele
For: **Portable Speed Bump**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Two original executed, Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application.
- ☒ Two original executed Assignment with Cover Sheet.
- ☒ An original executed Verified Statement to Establish Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Form PTO 1449 (with 13 references).

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